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KLAMATH FALLS RESOURCE AREA PLANNING UPDATE Winter 2002

The primary purpose of this Planning Update is to inform you about the activities on the Klamath Falls Resource Area. It is my desire to keep you informed about issues, activities, and opportunities I think are important to the public. More importantly, I am seeking ideas and comments from those who may be affected by multiple-use management programs here on the resource area.

This planning update is organized to make it easy for you to find projects of most interest. Projects have been arranged into categories (i.e., Recent Decisions, New Projects, On-going Projects, and Environmental Education Activities). In addition, each of these categories is sorted by resource topics (e.g., Lands Program, Timber Sales, etc.). The table will give you a brief description of activities occurring within the Klamath Falls Resource Area and for most projects a location. Refer to one of three maps following the table, for locations of projects.

Additional information can be obtained from the contact listed in the project descriptions. If you have any concerns about the proposed actions, please call the Klamath Falls Resource Area and ask for the "Contact" person listed or the Resource Area Planner as soon as possible. The earlier you get involved, the more capability we have to adjust or change planned actions. Also be alert for news releases and public notices published in the Herald and News as projects reach stages for public involvement. If you want to provide comments to a specific environmental assessment, please send or deliver your written comments addressed to the Field Manager, Klamath Falls Resource Area, by the close of, or postmarked by the last day of the comment period. Your comments and concerns are welcomed, and could influence the final decision on these projects.

I would appreciate any comments or suggestions you may have regarding this planning update or how it could be improved to make it more useful to you.

Thank you for your continued interest in BLM's management of public lands. If you have any questions on this planning update, stop by the office or call (541) 883-6916.

/s/ Teresa A. Raml

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MAP REF. #	PROJECT TITLE & DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	SPECIAL AREAS AFFECTED	STATUS OF ANALYSIS	COMPLETION DATE	CONTACT
CX = Categorical Exclusion, DNA = Determination of NEPA Adequacy, EA = Environmental Assessment, EIS = Environmental Impact Statement						
New Projects – Lands Program						
Map 1 #10	Hogback Land Sale	Hogback Mountain	Unknown	EA in progress	Winter 2003	Linda Younger
Map 1 #17	Bruner Land Exchange	South Bryant Mountain	Unknown	EA in progress	Spring 2004	Linda Younger
Map 1 #20	Al Bruner Land Sale	T41S, R13E, Sec. 14	Unknown	EA in progress	Spring 2003	Linda Younger
Map 1 #23	Cain Land Sale	T40S, R6E, Sec. 1	None	EA in progress	Spring 2003	Linda Younger
Map 1 #24	Kennedy Land Sale	T38S, R10E, Sec 6	None	EA in progress	Spring 2003	Linda Younger
Map 1 #82	Groom Reciprocal Easement	T41S, R7E, Sec. NENE	None	EA in progress	Spring 2003	Linda Younger
New Projects – Vegetation Treatment						
None	Aspen Thinning – Thin conifers, junipers, and aspen within aspen stands to stimulate growth of new shoots.	Resource Area Wide	Riparian	EA in process- to be completed Winter 2002	Implementation as Annual Program	Shane Durant
Map 1 #21	Johnson/Sheepy Creek Riparian Thinning – thinning small diameter conifers to improve vigor of older trees	BLM portion of Jenny Creek Watershed	Riparian Reserves in Key Watershed	EA in progress – Spring 2003	Implement in Summer 2003	Mike Turaski
New Projects – Watershed						
Map 1 #73	Gerber Road Sediment Reduction – road resurfacing and drainage improvement to reduce sediment delivery to streams	Five stream crossings in the Gerber Watershed	Critical sucker habitat	CX in progress	Implement in Summer 2003	Mike Turaski
Map 1 #72	Kerwin Meadow Restoration – road realignment and drainage improvement to reduce impacts to wet meadow; meadow restoration and revegetation	T41S, R6E, Section 9	None	EA in progress	Implement in Summer 2003	Mike Turaski

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New Projects – Timber Management						
None	Roaming Salvage EA – The purpose of this EA is to provide NEPA coverage for timely salvage of timber mortality over the entire Resource Area.	Entire Resource Area	Unknown	Preparing EA – estimated completion June 2003	June 2003	Shane Durant
New Projects – Wildlife Management						
Map 1 #26	Fox Lake Guzzler Repair	T41S, R6E, Section 4	None	CX Completed	Summer 2003	Steve Hayner

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Recent Decisions – Lands Program						
7/22/02	Map 1 #47	Klamath County Public Works Free Use Material sale – Sand and gravel permit – Harpold Quarry	T. 39 S., R. 11 E., Sec. 19	None	Permit granted	Linda Younger
10/8/02	Map 1 #33	Groh's Mineral Material Sale – cinder material from existing pit	T41S, R15E, Sec. 4	None	Permit granted	Linda Younger
Recent Decisions – Roads and Facilities						
10/1/02	Map 1 #77	Sediment Traps – 15 sediment traps on BLM, USFS, and private land	Spencer Creek Watershed and Gerber Block	None	Project in progress	Mike Turaski
Recent Decisions – Vegetation Treatment						
7/12/02	Map 1 #22	Horton Rim / Windy Ridge Juniper Removal – Juniper treatment for fuel reduction and wildlife habitat improvement	T39S, R11E T39S, R11½ E	None	EA completed	Steve Hayner
8/7/02	Map 2 #70	Juniper Chip Road – Using juniper debris for biomass or by-product in Oshea (FTZ 95/71), and Norcross Springs	T 39 & 40S, R13, 14, 14½E	None Known	EA completed	Doug Miller
8/6/02	None	District-wide Hazard Tree Removal	Various	None	CX completed	Margo Carnahan
Recent Decisions – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatments						
6/7/02	Map 2 #49	Range-Juniper Treatment – Hazardous fuel reduction, wildlife forage and habitat improvement using mechanical and prescribed fire methods.	T40S, R12E, Sec. 11	None	DNA completed	Joe Foran
8/19/02	Map 2 #42	Hamaker/Chase Fuels Treatment – Reduce Fuels on 4000 acres south of Hwy 66	T40S, R8E	None	EA completed	Gabi Sommerauer
7/30/02	Map 2 #2	Short Lake Broadcast Burn - Prescribe burn approx. 280 acres of land outside Fuel Treatment Zones to reduce fuel loading and risk of wildfire.	T38S, R11E, Sec 20 & 29	None Known	EA completed	Decision Record July 2002

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Recent Decisions – Timber Sales						
7/2/02	Map 1 #14	Saddled Again Timber Sale - sale is located in southwest corner of the Spencer Creek Watershed and north end of Topsy/Pokegama/Hamaker Landscape Analysis Area. A watershed/landscape analysis and EA have been completed in both areas. Sale volume is approximately 4000 mbf on 570 acres. Sale was designed as a density management treatment.	T.39S., R6E., Sec. 9, 15, 19, 20	Riparian Reserves District Designated Reserve Buffer Matrix	Sold August 2002	Mike Bechdolt
7/2/02	Map 1 #16	Slim Chicken Timber Sale - This sale was proposed in the Topsy/Pokegama/Hamaker Forest Health Treatments EA. Slim Chicken TS treats and estimated 2,100 acres and harvests approximately 3.9 million board feet of timber. This sale was designed as a density management/under story reduction. Other treatments include prescribed burning, thinning and fuels reduction.	T40S, R7E, S19, 21, 29, 31 South of Hwy 66	DDRB (District Designated Reserve Buffer) Matrix	Sold July 2002	Mike Bechdolt

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Ongoing Projects – General Planning						
Map 1 #4	Gerber/Willow Valley Watershed Analysis. The purpose of this project is to analyze the conditions of the watershed on Forest Service and BLM land and document recommendations for improvement in a written watershed assessment to be completed by both Federal Agencies.	Gerber/Willow Valley Watershed	Riparian Hydrology	Field Analysis is ongoing. Public Scoping initiated July 2000	Draft document scheduled for Spring 2003	Mike Limb
Map 1 #5	Gerber/Willow Valley Coordinated Resource Management Plan (CRMP) Watershed Analysis. The purpose of this process is to involve private landowners in the watershed analysis process. A Local Planning Team (of private landowners, State and Federal land managers, and concerned citizens) makes recommendations for improvements on private land that are documented within the analysis completed by Federal Agencies for future implementation of projects planned in the CRMP area.	Gerber/Willow Valley Watershed	Private Lands	CRMP meetings/discussions are continuing	Completion date open-ended	Don Hoffheins
Map 1 #28	Upper Klamath River Management Plan DEIS - Approximately 20 miles long encompassing 6,400 acres; develop a management plan in response to scenic river designation act requirements.	Klamath River - J.C. Boyle Reservoir, Oregon, to Copco One Reservoir, California	Wild and Scenic River designation, Area of Critical Concern, TES spp.	Initial Scoping completed. Draft EIS completed, to be released early 2003.	FEIS in Fall 2003	Larry Frazier
Map 1 #29	Upper Klamath Basin and Wood River Wetland Resource Management Plan Amendment for the Fourmile Creek portion of this area. The purpose of this project is to amend the Upper Klamath Basin and Wood River Wetland Resource Management Plan EIS, in order to designate the Fourmile Creek area as an Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC).	Fourmile Creek Wetland	Riparian Wetland ACEC	ACEC Evaluation submitted to District Manager, October 2000.	Draft EIS to be prepared. Specific schedule and completion date unknown.	Lou Whiteaker
None	Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the Klamath Tribes and BLM for Coordination on Management Issues. The proposed MOU is to identify a process to coordinate and communicate tribal involvement with BLM management actions on public lands.	Lakeview District	Former Tribal Lands	The draft MOU was presented to the Tribal Council on February 22, 2000. Waiting for Tribal feedback.	Unknown	Larry Frazier
None	Late-Successional Reserve (LSR) Assessment. A single LSR Assessment is in preparation that will assess all 19 Unmapped LSR's designated within the resource area. The purpose of the assessment is to develop management recommendations for these areas to restore or maintain late successional habitat	BLM lands west of Highway 97 covered by the Northwest Forest Plan	Unmapped Late Successional Reserves.	Analysis is complete.	The Assessment will be submitted to the REO (Regional Ecosystem Office) in January 2003 for review.	Lou Whiteaker

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Ongoing Projects – Lands Program						
Map 1 #1	Klamath County Public Works - Sand & Gravel-Bly Pit	T37S, R14E, Sec.9	None	Granted	Ongoing Authorization	Linda Younger
Map 1 #15	BOR Communication Site	T38S, R13E T39S, R14E	None	Granted	Ongoing Authorization	Linda Younger
Map 1 #18	Bly Dump Sale (EA No. OR-014-97-01) - Land Tenure. The purpose of this project is to sell Bly Transfer Station to Klamath County.	Southwest of Bly, Oregon.	None Known	EA in progress	Winter 2002	Tom Cottingham
Map 1 #27	JELD-WEN Timber - ROW-road use-logging Willow Valley Rd.	T41S, R14&15E	None	Granted	Ongoing Authorization	Linda Younger
Map 1 #34	Klamath County Public Works Stone/crushed-Stukel Rock Quarry	T39S, R10E Sec. 10	None	Granted	Ongoing Authorization	Linda Younger
Map 1 #83	Dehlinger Trust - Residential Road right-of-way.	T. 40 S., R. 10 E. Sec. 9	None	EA completed/Reciprocal Easement Pending	Winter 2002	Linda Younger
None	Disposal of Mineral Materials from Existing Quarries or Pits	Resource Area Wide	None	Granted	Ongoing	Tom Cottingham
None	Bureau of Reclamation – ROW for GPS point installation (T38S, R13E, sec.12, 35; T39S, R13E, sec.12; T39S, R14E, sec. 4, 21)	Numerous Locations	None	Granted	Ongoing	Linda Younger
Ongoing Projects – Vegetation Treatments						
Map 2 #46	Oak Thinning - Thin 80 acres of oak woodland to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities to reduce potential for stand replacing wildfires and overall fire management costs.	Klamath River Canyon	None Known	Analysis pending/Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09)	Partially completed 2002. Remainder scheduled for winter 2003.	Rob Ronninger
Map 2 #44	Spencer Creek Riparian Thinning – thin 80 acres of juniper/mixed conifer	T38S, R6E, Secs. 21 and 28	Riparian Reserves in Key Watershed	EA completed in FY 1999	Ongoing – Possible completion in 2003	Gabi Sommerauer
Map 2 #30	Clover Creek DDRB - 108 acres mechanical treatment.	T.38S, R6E, Sec. 27,34 Off Spencer Hookup Road	Bald Eagles, Survey and Manage species	DNA completed in Spring 2001.	On hold for LSRA completion	Gayle Sitter
None	Noxious Weed Treatments - project purpose is to contain or reduce noxious weed populations using an integrated pest management approach, including manual, mechanical, chemical, and biological control methods. Activities tier to the Klamath Falls Resource Area Integrated Weed Control Plan (IWCP) and Environmental Assessment (EA-OR-014-93-09), approved July 21, 1993.	Weed-infested sites throughout the Klamath Falls Resource Area	None	This document is tiered to the Northwest Area Noxious Weed Control Program EIS approved in December 1985 and Supplemented in March 1987.	Noxious Weed Treatments occur from May through October	Lou Whiteaker

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Ongoing Projects – Timber Sales						
Map 1 #9	Upper Spencer Creek Timber Sale EA. The purpose of this EA is to analyze proposed commercial and non-commercial treatments. Up to 15 million board feet of timber would be harvested from approximately 1000 acres. Other treatments include: watershed restoration, road obliteration, construction, and improvement, precommercial thinning, fuels reduction, prescribed burning, and reforestation.	Surveyor Mountain T38S, R5E, Sec. 25, 26, 36 T39S, R5E, Sec. 1, 12 T39S, R6E, Sec. 6, 7	Matrix Riparian Reserves	Preparing EA – Estimated completion March 2003	Sale date – March 2003	Mike Bechdolt
Map 1 #12	Surveyor Mountain Timber Sale - This sale will be located in the upper portion of the Spencer Creek and Jenny Creek Watersheds. An estimated 600 acres is designated for treatment. Approximately 10 million board feet of timber will be harvested.	T38S, R5E, Sec. 25, 26, 35, 36 T39S, R5E, Sec. 1 T39S, R6E, Sec. 6	Riparian Reserves District Designated Reserves Matrix	Finalizing the EA.	Proposed sale date: Summer 2003	Mike Bechdolt
Map 1 #32	Whiteline Timber Sale - The second scheduled timber sale under the Bly Mountain/ Whiteline/ Swan Lake Forest Health treatment EA (EA # OR-014-99-6). Approximately 300 acres are designated for treatment. An estimated volume of 600 MBF will be harvested. This sale was designed as a density management understory reduction. Other treatments include prescribed burning, thinning, and fuels reduction.	T37S., R9E., Sec. 3, 13, 14	None	EA Completed, Decision Record signed August 2001	Timber offered August 2001 – No Bid – Sale to be reoffered in June 2003	Mike Bechdolt
Ongoing Projects – Wildlife						
None	Nest Structures – Construction of nest structures to facilitate the nesting of important avian species.	Resource Area Wide	Great Grey Owl and Osprey habitat	CX in Spring 2003	Summer 2003	John Kellam
Map 1 #43	Willow Valley Beaver Relocation and Culvert Modification	T41S, R141/2E, Sec. 29	None	CX completed.	Beaver relocation yearly as needed. Project construction in Winter 2003.	Steve Hayner
Ongoing Projects – Range						
Map 1 #75	Tunnel Creek Fence – Reconstruction of fence to control livestock use in riparian/wetland area.	T38S, R5E, Section 22, 23	Riparian/Special Botanical Habitat Area	CX completed in Summer 2000	Reconstruction Spring 2003	Dana Eckard

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Ongoing Projects – Roads and Facilities						
None	Topsy Road Safety Improvements	Topsy Road near Hwy. 66	None	CX Completed	First half Completed	Scott Senter
Map 1 #22	Lower Spencer Creek Road Treatments	T38 & 39S, R6E	Water Quality	DNA completed	Expected Summer 2003	Mike Turaski
Map 1 #6	Gerber Area Recreation Improvements - (RMP ROD EIS 6-2-95, pp. 49-50) - Project falls under corrective maintenance, improvement or replacement in the Klamath Falls RMP. Facilities proposed at Gerber Recreation Site include water and electrical lines, boat ramp, dock and parking, BOR house RV holding tank, group day use shelters and hiking trails. Existing maintenance, improvement or replacement include: rocking and chip-sealing/paving road system and campsites, picnic tables, barrier posts, camp host RV holding tank, hydrants, Barnes Valley Boat Ramp access road.	Gerber Reservoir Recreation Site	T&E Species (suckers and bald eagles)	Plan Conformance Determination of NEPA Adequacy completed and approved on 10/28/99. Projects require no further decision documents as they are in compliance with the KFRA RMP.	FY 2000 – water & electrical lines. FY 2001 - chip sealed access road and campground loops, holding tank constructed. FY 2002 - North camp RV holding tank installed FY 2003 - begin trail design, layout and construction	Scott Senter
Map 1 #6	Gerber Area Primitive Camp and Day Use Sites Recreation Improvements. The objectives of these improvements are to update or improve existing facilities to continue to provide an enhanced recreational experience and satisfy visitor needs.	Gerber Recreation Sites; Stan H Spring, Potholes, Miller Creek, Frog Camp, Pitchlog Creek, Wildhorse, Basin, Rock Creek and Willow Valley Reservoir	T&E Species (suckers)	A Determination of NEPA Adequacy (DNA) completed 9/25/2000. (Project contingent on funding)	FY 2001 - Installed bathrooms (Stan H Spring, Miller Ck., & Potholes). Fall 2002 - Willow Valley Boat ramp construction. FY 2003 – toilets to be installed @ Willow Valley Res.	Scott Senter
Map 1 #7	Barnes Valley Creek 3C Road Crossing Improvement. The purpose of this project is to reconstruct a ford on Barnes Valley Creek to allow fish passage during low stream flows. Concrete blocks with connecting wire cables would be installed to help prevent sediment entering the stream as a vehicle crosses over the creek.	Junction of Barnes Valley Creek & 3C's road. T39S, R14 ½ E, Sec. 22.	Redband Trout Lost River and Shortnose Sucker Habitat	EA completed. FONSI signed August 2000. Decision Record signed November 2000.	Ford installed 2001. Additional structure maintenance in 2002.	Andy Hamilton
Map 1 #8	Rock Creek Bridge Replacement - The purpose of this project is to replace the bridge over Rock Creek. The old bridge was deteriorated and was unsafe to use.	T. 41 S., R. 15 E., Sec. 17	Riparian Reserves Sucker Habitat	EA and Decision Record completed	Project completed November 2002	Scott Snedaker

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Ongoing Projects – Roads and Facilities (Continued)						
Map 1 #25	Wood River Wetlands Project - Projects include: 1) Oregon Trout and partners initiate reconstruction of the Wood River delta channel downstream on the bridge; 2) Install fish screen on 7-mile Canal diversion structure; 3) Surface rock dike roads from bridge to 7-mile Canal; 4) Install floating boardwalk, interpretive signs, restroom and trail system; 5) Add group interpretive site; and 6) Improve existing access trail.	Wood River Property 25 miles north of Klamath Falls, Oregon	Wetlands	Planned projects are in compliance with the Upper Klamath Basin and Wood River Wetland Resource Management Plan EIS; decision signed June 16, 1995. No further decision documents are required.	1) Channel completed 2) Winter 2002 3) Pending Funding 4) 2003 Pending Funding 5) 2003 Pending Funding 6) Trail work completed	Wedge Watkins
Ongoing Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment						
Map 2 #11	Fuels Maintenance Treatments #2 (KCER -00-03) Treat approximately 1,200 acres to remove fire-prone brush, excessive levels of hazardous fuels (less than 6" in diameter), and removal of small conifers that are ladder fuels and threats to over story trees by crown fire.	Klamath Falls Resource Area, east of Hwy 97. See Prescribed Fire Map for locations.	None Known	Analysis is continuing	Fall 2002	Dale Brush
Map 2 #19	Wild Midway Prescribed Burn - Prescribed burn approximately 500 acres in the spring of the year. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T40S, R14.5E, Sec. 2, 3, 11, 12, & 14.	None Known	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Project delayed until the Spring of 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #36	DeVaul Plus Wilkerson Prescribed Burn - This project proposes to burn approximately 100 acres. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T38S, R13E, Sec. 33	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Fall 2002 Included in Big Adobe Burn Plan.	Joe Foran
Map 2 #37	Miller Creek Mechanical Treatment - This project proposes mechanical piling instead of prescribed burning of approximately 100 acres. Proper burning conditions did not exist, so BLM managers chose to do this project by mechanized means.	T39S, R13E, Sec. 14 & 23	ACEC	Analysis Completed FONSI and Decision Record issued on 3-24-99 approving this project.	Project delayed until the Spring 2003	Joe Foran

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Ongoing Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment (Continued)						
Map 2 #38	Stiles Spring Prescribed Burn - This project proposes to burn approximately 1,000 acres. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T37S, R10E, Sec. 3-5, 9-11, 14, 15	Wildlife Habitat	Analysis Completed. FONSI issued on 12-19-99. Decision Record issued on 01-25-2000 approving this project	200 acres treated in FY 2000; Remainder delayed until the Spring 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #39	Stukel 98-1 Mechanical Treatment - This project proposes mechanical piling instead of prescribed burning of approximately 500 acres. A burning window to complete this project never appeared, so BLM managers chose to do this project by mechanized means.	T40S, R10E, Sec. 10, 11, 14, 23, 24	None Known	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Project delayed until the Spring 2002	Joe Foran
Map 2 #40	Stukel 98-2 Prescribed Burn - This project proposes to burn approximately 3,000 acres. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires and overall fire management costs.	T40S, R10E, Sec. 12, 13, 24 T40S, R11E, Sec. 7 & 18	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94	Project delayed until the Spring 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2	DeVaul Juniper Removal – Remove commercial juniper by mechanical methods. Hand removal of smaller juniper and juniper in sagebrush stands.	T39S, R13E, Sec. 14, 15	Meadow improvement Special status plants	Analysis Completed	Winter 2003	Steve Hayner
Map 2 #45	Upper Swan Prescribed Burn - This project proposes to burn approximately 98 acres. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T37S, R10E, Sec. 24 & 25 T37S, R11.5E, Sec. 31	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Project delayed until the Spring 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #46	Oak Thinning Prescribed Burn - This project proposes to burn approximately 181 acres. The purposes of this project are to: Reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, while reducing the potential for stand-replacement wildfires, and reducing overall fire management costs.	T41S, R5E, Sec. 11 & 14 T41S, R6E, Sec. 4	None Known	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Project scheduled for Spring 2003	Steve Petrick-Underwood
Map 2 #51	Baldy Crest Prescribed Burn - Prescribed burn approximately 540 acres to: reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, reduce potential for stand-replacing wildfires, reduce overall fire management costs, and reduce fuel loadings within the Old Baldy Research Natural Area (RNA).	T.38S., R.5E., Sec. 19, 20, 29, 30	Old Baldy RNA Northern spotted owl Pacific Crest Trail	A Determination of NEPA Adequacy (DNA) completed June 2000	Project to be implemented in Spring 2003	Lou Whiteaker

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Ongoing Projects – Prescribed Burning and Fuels Treatment (Continued)						
Map 2 #62	Mechanical Slash Treatment Project – Mechanical treatments (shearing, chipping, or grinding) to reduce fuels and control vegetation on approx. 12,000 acres.	Multiple Locations Resource Area Wide	None	Second DNA to be completed.	Projects to be tasked out over a three year period	Joe Foran
Map 2 #63	Stukel 98-7 & 9 Prescribed Burns - This project proposes to burn approximately 525 acres to: reintroduce fire to restore sustainable function and structure to plant communities, reduce the potential for stand-replacing wildfires, and reduce overall fire management costs.	T40S, R11E, Sec 5 & 6	Bald Eagle	Analysis Completed Planned projects tier to the Programmatic Fire EA (OR-014-94-09) approved on 4-29-94.	Stukel 98-7A completed (130 acres). Remaining project - Spring 2003	Steve Petrick-Underwood
Map 2 #64	Stateline Prescribed Burn – Prescribe burn approximately 2,000 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire	T.40S, R15 E., T.41S, R15E.	None	Initiated Winter 2001	Fall 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #65	Big Adobe Prescribed Burn – Prescribe burn approximately 2,000 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire	T.41S., R15E.	Riparian	Initiated Winter 2001	Fall 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #66	Hamaker Canyon Prescribed Burn – Prescribe burn approximately 400 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire	T.40S., R.13E., Sec. 8	None Known	Initiated Winter 2001	Spring 2003	Joe Foran
Map 2 #67	Yainax Butte Prescribed Burn – Prescribe burn approximately 500 acres to reduce fuel loading and risk of catastrophic wildfire.	T.37S, R13E, Sec. 26,27,34,35	None Known	Initiated Spring 2001	Spring 2003	Joe Foran

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Rangeland Health Standards Assessments						
<p>These assessments compare the monitoring information collected against the five Standards for Rangeland Health and propose management changes if current grazing use is not meeting the Standards, or not making significant improvement towards meeting them. Changes are implemented through the grazing decision or agreement process.</p> <p>* These assessments incorporated as part of the <i>Gerber/Willow Valley Watershed Analysis</i> effort; assessment completion will be when the Watershed Analysis is completed.</p> <p>** These assessments are the KFRA's Fiscal Year 2002 scheduled assessments. They are scheduled to be completed during calendar year 2002 (or early 2003). If any member of the public desires participation in the assessment process and/or a copy of the final assessment (once completed) please contact Bill Lindsey or Dana Eckard at the Klamath Falls Office.</p>						
Map 3 #31	Bear Valley Allotment (#0876)	East-central Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Winter 2002-2003	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #35	Fields Allotment (#0893)	South Langell Valley	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2002	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #52	Paddock Allotment (#0844)	North-central Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003*	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #53	J Spring Allotment (#0803)	Northwest Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003*	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #57	Campbell Allotment #0878)	Northwest Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment completed	March 2002*	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #59	Bumpheads Allotment (#0877)	Southwest Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003*	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #60	Horse Camp Rim Allotment (#0886)	Central Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003*	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #61	Rock Creek Allotment (#0888)	Southeast Gerber Block	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003*	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #85	Horton Allotment (#0883)	North Langell Valley	None Known	Assessment completed	June 2002*	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #86	Rodgers Allotment (#0852)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment in progress	Winter 2002**	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #87	JELD-WEN Allotment (#0822)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	Sept. 2002	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #88	Cunard Allotment (#0859)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	Sept. 2002	Dana Eckard

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Rangeland Health Standards Assessments						
Map 3 #89	Stukel-Dehlinger C. Allotment (#0815)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	June 2002	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #90	Stukel-Dehlinger H. Allotment (#0816)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	Sept. 2002	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #91	Stukel-High Allotment (#0827)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	December 2002	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #92	Stukel-Hill Allotment (#0828)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	September 2002	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #93	Stukel-Coffin Allotment (#0812)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	August 2002	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #94	Voight Allotment (#0894)	Stukel Mountain, Southwest of Klamath Falls	None Known	Assessment completed	December 2002	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #41	Yainax Allotment (#0861)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #47	Klamath Forest Estates Allotment (#0862)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #48	McCartie Allotment (#0860)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #50	Williams Allotment (#0892)	East of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #54	Cheyne Allotment (#0811)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Bill Lindsey
Map 3 #55	Haskins Allotment (#0826)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #56	Masten Allotment (#0842)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #58	Kellison Allotment (#0834)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #68	Adams Allotment (#0800)	East of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Dana Eckard
Map 3 #71	Hungry Hollow Allotment (#0830)	North of Bonanza	None Known	Assessment in progress	Fall 2003	Dana Eckard

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Participation by Klamath Falls Resource Area Employees and Volunteers

Presentations/Environmental Education Programs/Tours				
What Was Presented	Date	Where	Group / Age	# of People
Wildlife Program	02/27/02	Fairhaven Elementary	3 rd & 4 th Graders	45
CCC in the Gerber Area (History)	02/27/02	Klamath County Museum	Adults	42
Wood River Wetland Project	04/01/02	Red Bluff, CA	Adult	25
Habitat Management	04/16/02	Windy Ridge	REACH/Adults	7
Restoration - Intermountain West Joint Venture	04/19/02	Wood River Wetland	Adult	25
Wetland/Bird Tour	05/02/02	Wood River	High School Seniors	9
Wetland Biology/Bird Walk	05/15/02	Wood River	1 st Graders	25
Restoration/Monitoring-Nat. Acad. of Science	05/15/02	Wood River	Adult	50
WRW Update - Or. Watershed Enhance. Board	05/16/02	Favell Museum	Adult	35
Restoration/Monitoring	05/17/02	Wood River Wetland	Adult	16
Restoration/Monitoring to OIT Class	05/20/02	Wood River Wetland	Adult	15
Wetland Plants & Birds	05/21-22/02	Running Y Resort Wetlands	6 th Graders	70/60
Wetland Birds	05/24/02	Wood River Wetland	1 st through 8 th Graders	25
Wetland Field Day	06/11/02	Wood River Wetland	3rd Graders	70
Restoration	07/08/02	Wood River Wetland	13-50 years old	25
Wetland Bird Mgmt/Restoration	09/29/02	Whitman College	College students	30
WR Wetland Management	10/01/02	Wood River Wetland	NRCS employees	10
Restoration Ecology ("Concerned Friends")	10/29/02	Wood River Wetland	Adults	30

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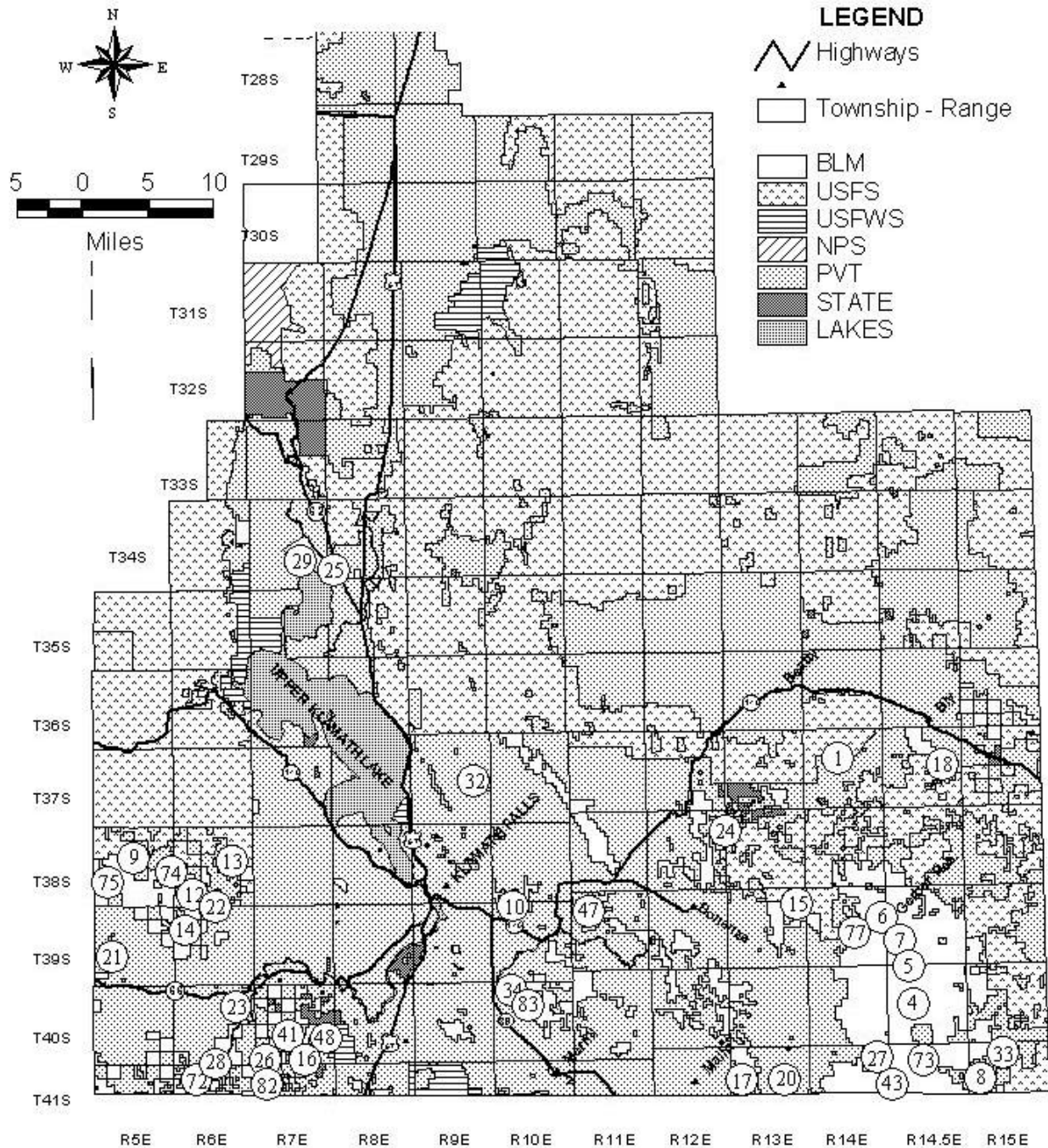
Special Events				
Event/Activity	Date	Where	# of Employee Participants	# of Public Participants
Oregon Archaeology Celebration	10/13/01	Pokegama Plateau, Topsy Road	10 employees	14 bicyclists
Klamath County Career Fair	10/25/01	Klamath County Fair Grounds	1 KFRA employee	300-400 students
Earth Day	4/20/02	Jefferson Square Mall	8 employees	~250 people
Wilderness Horse Packing Clinic	5/3/02-5/5/02	Klamath Co. Fairgrounds	10 employees	~2000 people
International Migratory Bird Day Event	5/11/02	Veteran's Memorial Park	20 employees	400+ people
Fishing Day	6/15/02	Gerber Reservoir	25 employees and family	100 children
RAP Camp	6/16/02-6/22/02	Lake of the Woods	20 employees	53 kids and 10 teachers
Pokegama Horse & Buggy Historic Tour	6/22/02	Pokegama Plateau	1 employee	20 people
CAST – Catch a Special Thrill	8/3/02	Hyatt Lake	KFRA and Medford employees	~150 people/ special needs children
Klamath County Fair	8/8/01-8/11/01	Klamath Co. Fairgrounds	10 employees	~2000 people
Lake County Fair	8/30/02-9/2/02	Lake Co. Fairgrounds	1 KFRA employee	~1000 people
National Public Lands Day	9/28/02	Wood River Wetlands	20 employees	~100 people
Project Learning Tree	10/11/02	Klamath County Schools	1 employee	10 teachers
Fun With Fungi	10/26/02	Brown Mountain Trail	3 BLM and 3 USFS	20 adults
GIS Day	11/23/02	Jefferson Square Mall	1 employee	20 people

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Miscellaneous Project Locations

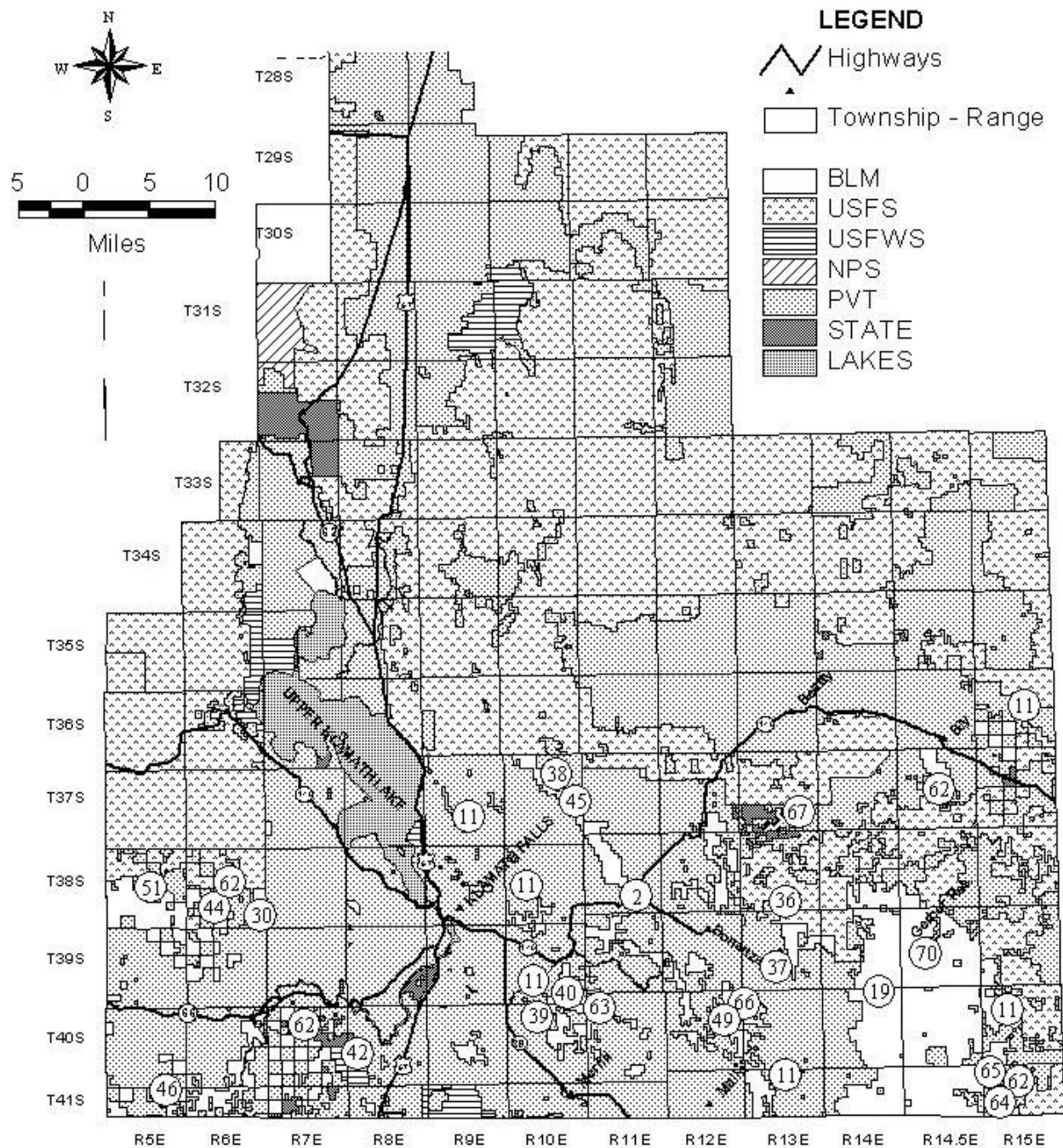


MAP 2

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Prescribed Fire and Fuels Treatment Projects



MAP 3 Klamath Falls Resource Area Winter 2002 Planning Update Grazing Project Locations

